

IS SOROSIS EGOTISTICAL?

MRS. CLYMER THINKS RATHER

Another Woman Remarks that the Information About Itself Which It Furnished to the Federation of Women's Clubs Was Salupy—Otherwise, the Sessions of the Federation Were Peaceful.

Club women held an important gathering at the Young Women's Christian Association building in Brooklyn yesterday. It was the first annual meeting of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs, and twenty-three organizations of all kinds except suffrage and religious clubs, which are not eligible, were represented by about 250 women. They discussed questions of importance, listened to addresses, transacted business, and turned down Sorosis, which has always been considered the representative woman's club. The turning down process was not accomplished without a fight.

Before this there was peace. Mrs. Jeanie C. Croly, President of the federation, called the meeting to order, and in a brief address sketched the great advance in women's affairs directly traceable to the club influence. She introduced Mrs. William C. Croly, President of the Brooklyn Woman's Club, who welcomed the delegates. She said:

"We, the Brooklyn members of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs, welcome you most heartily to their city of homes. We rejoice to hear of this organization, which has a number of federated clubs throughout every city in the State, and we honor with you the noble women whose happy thought was the inspiration for this gathering of the clans. With the mother's instinct we point first to our children's instruction in the home, then to our children in schools and high schools, where the mother heart has recognition upon the Board of Edu-

to the Collegiate and Polytechnic Institute, a woman's gift to woman, were every morning 800 girls sing in the chapel; to Pratt Institute, the princely gift of a Brooklyn man to boys and girls, and to our Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, which will soon be the largest of its kind in the world. Nevertheless, we are not so well satisfied with the present as we are with the future. We realize the larger wisdom which must dwell in the larger area of this great commonwealth, and we believe that we shall receive more than we can give, we shall welcome you most lovingly to the heart of Brooklyn.

Following this address came reports of committees of the Brooklyn Women's Club to negotiate to visit the Memorial Hospital for Women and Children, the Long Island Historical Society, and the Brooklyn Museum.

Then Mrs. Frances A. Goodale summed the notes of the address and the reports of the committees and is Chairman of the Correspondence Committee. She wrote to the various organizations and to the members of the club, and to the full particulars. Sorosis died! Whether or not the ground that everybody ought to have a right to be heard for, for some other reason, the response of that organization was not so hearty as it had been. It was not shared by one of the women interested—net Mrs. Goodale—it was snippy. In rendering her report she said that she had been told that some of the club who were present didn't look particularly well pleased. After Mrs. Goodale had concluded her report, the President of the federation, had a seat on the platform, rose and said, "Sorosis should be classed among the altruistic clubs."

"I don't know," said the committee which has done noble work," she declared; "and I will ask Mrs. Goodale to accept my 'altruistic' as an answer."

"Very well," replied Mrs. Goodale cheerily: "I only wish I were more like you."

They were very meagre.

So for a time the matter was settled, but a few days later, when it was found that there was an undercurrent of feeling against Sorosis. This came out in the election of the Executive Committee. The vote was as follows: Mrs. Charles G. Freeman of the Woman's Club of

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the overcoming of conservatism in the ranks of the women of the city. The aid of all club women for the woman's college." The subject was discussed in the aid on the subject. "The education of public sentiment as affected and contemplated by women's clubs." Mrs. Russell Sage, Mrs. Harnden Hess, Mrs. Frances A. Goodell, Mrs. Tilton, Mrs. Walworth, and others spoke. Nearly all of them advocated the teaching of manual training in the schools. The women were in sympathy with the higher branches. Mrs. Pettigling, a member of the Brooklyn Board of Education, said that the manual training in the schools of Brooklyn. Reports of committees closed the session. The meeting was held in the parlors of the building. The convention will continue to-day.

Many persons attended a reception given by the delegates in their parlor and lecture room of the Young Men's Christian Association, 100 West 12th street, from 2 to 4 o'clock. An orchestra of some prominence chatted. A collection was served.

DRUNKEN WRECKS A SATURDAY.
Without Apparent Cause He Breaks Glasses, Mirrors, and Windows.

The proprietor of a saloon at 839 Newark avenue, last night Henry Gerner in charge yesterday morning while he went away for a short time. Gerner took several drinks, it is said, and soon began to act as if he had an attack of delirium tremens. He swept all the furniture and fixtures in the saloon overboard through the plate glass mirrors, and made a

HIS DOG HOWLS AND BASSETT'S BODY IS FOUND.

ORANGE, N. J., Nov. 29.—An Italian journeyman hatter, Paolo Bassetti, aged 65, was found dead in his bedroom in a small house at 170 Stockton street, West Orange, last night. The cause of death was asphyxiation by gas from a kerosene lamp.

Attention of neighbors was attracted by the howling of Bassett's dog, which was confined in the yard behind the house. When they found the body, County Physician Washington says death was caused by carbon monoxide poisoning due to its way from the heater's escape duct.

Another Church Organ From Mr. Carnegie.

BRADDOCK, Pa., Nov. 29.—It is said that Andrew Carnegie has decided to give an organ to the Bethel Evangelical Swedish Lutheran church here.

The Bamberg, Bloom & Co. Failure.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Nov. 30.—The appraisers for the assignee of Bamberg, Bloom & Co., wholesale dry goods, who failed recently, have completed their work. The assets are fixed at \$858,000, liabilities \$1,215,403, of which \$715,677 is owed to Eastern creditors. The members of the firm are desirous of resuming business.

THE PACIFIC & GABLES, CUNY.

TO CONTINUE THE BUSINESS.

New York Capitalists Negotiating for the Cement Industries in Ulster County.

KINGSTON, Nov. 20.—New York capitalists, whose names have not been made public, have been negotiating with the Ulster County Board of Supervisors for the purchase of the property and consolidating all the cement industries in this neighborhood. A representative of the proposed new corporation has been in this county for a week looking over the different works of the cement companies. There are three different cement companies in Ulster county, and the capitalists are endeavoring to get the best of all at a reasonable figure. The combined properties would be worth about a million dollars, it is also said that the new corporation might possibly purchase other cement industries besides the three now in existence in the county, and run the entire cement business of the county.

This year the price of cement has dropped to its lowest point in the history of the industry, and manufacturers are not encouraged. The close competition between the different companies has driven the price down to such a low figure as to reduce greatly the profit for the manufacturers. The Ulster County Board of Supervisors, in a resolution recently in relation to the deal was effected the price of cement was fixed at \$1.00 per barrel. The cement business has been much better than was anticipated by the manufacturers at the beginning of the year, and the business of the companies are crowded with orders.

STRANDED VESSELS FLOATED.

The **Irrawaddy** and **Manitoba** Hauled Off by Wrecking Tugs.

The steamship **Irrawaddy** from Trinidad, which stranded off Ashbury Park on Nov. 9 in a thick fog, was hauled off by the Merritt & Co. Wrecking tug J. D. Jones, and towed to a moorage off Stapleton, S. I. The extent of the injuries will not be known until she is dry docked.

The Norton line steamship **Manitoba**, which was ashore off of Long Neck, N. Y., on Nov. 10, was hauled off by the Merritt tug, the J. J. Merritt, and was floated yesterday morning at 10 o'clock to Stapleton. She is apparently not damaged.

DIED.

CONROY, William Henry, Nov. 19, after a short illness, the Right Rev. J. Conroy, D. D., second Bishop of Albany, at his late residence, 14 West 44th st. Pontifical mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The remains were respectfully buried.

Funeral at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Albany, Saturday morning.

FERGUSON,—Sudden at Bridge, Me., Nov. 20, Clement Ferguson, in the 82d year of his age.

GOETZ.—On Tuesday, Nov. 10, Catharina Goetz, daughter of Otto Goetz and Barbara Goetz, aged 74 years.

Funeral takes place from the residence of her

GRABING A THOROUGHFARE.
Jersey City Officials Trying to Find Out Who Laid Tracks Without Permission.
The Jersey City officials are investigating something which appears to be an attempt to grab a public thoroughfare by some railroad company, the identity of which has not yet been discovered. During Tuesday night a railroad track was laid in the Lafayette district of the city, just south of the Newark and New York City Thoroughfare. The tracks were laid in the unground manner. The ties were laid on the surface in a careless way and rails loosely spiked

THE KENSICO CEMETERY, located on the (Hartford) road, four miles north from the (Central Depot), will be open from 10:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.

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PRESIDENT HILL RESIGNS.

Differences of Opinion Between Him and the Faculty of Rochester University.

ROCHESTER, Nov. 20.—President David J. Hill of the University of Rochester, who tendered his resignation yesterday, at the close of his chapel exercises this morning was called upon by repeated encores on the part of the students and spoke a few words relative to his resignation, but gave no reasons for resigning. A gentleman familiar with the affairs of the college said this morning:

The resignation is doubtless the result of the difference of opinion between President Hill and members of the faculty of the Theological Seminary as to the proper manner in which to conduct the institution. Dr. Hill is a liberal man. He desired to make the university a liberal institution. But once upon there was printed in the *Register* certain "frothing letters," which had been written by a student, and he had to allocate the institution from the Baptists. The letters were occasioned, no doubt, by the placing of charges against A. G. Stone, the son of William S. Kimball, members of other churches. The charges were made by the Association of Baptist Ministers of the City and County passed resolutions along the same

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Sun. 10:37. Moon. 10:37. Day.
Sandy Hook. 10:37. Gov. Island. 11:00. Hell Gate... 12:40

Arrived—Wednesday, Nov. 20.
St. Venette, Voss, Baeuweit, Havre.
St. George, Healy, London.
St. Mauffroy, St. Jean, Rio Janeiro.
St. Irarawaddy, Byers, Greenland.
St. Cherokee, McKee, Charleston.
St. Mary, Collins, Portland.
St. H. M. Whitney, Hall, Boston.
St. H. M. De. Bouché, Milla, Boston.

(For later arrivals see First Page.)

ARRIVED OUT.

86 Malestrie, from New York, at Queenstown.
87 New York, Aik, from New York, at Southampton.
88 Naples, from New York, at Southampton.
89 Martello, from New York, at Hull.
90 State of California, from New York, at London.
91 Panama, from New York, at Bordeaux.
92 Saturne, from New York, at Rotterdam.
93 Belgravia, from New York, at Hull.
94 Sardinia, from New York, at Liverpool.
95 Italia, from New York, at Naples.
96 Alamo, from New York, at Galveston.

SHIPPED.

88 Dresden, from New York for Bremen, passed the Island.
89 Massachusetts, from New York for London, off Iceland.
90 Persia, from Hamburg for New York, off Prawle Point.
91 Spoutdam, from New York for Rotterdam, off Iceland.
92 Wells City, from New York for Bristol, off Lundy Island.

CALLED FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

86 La Houa Bay, from Antwerp for New York.
88 Pucawan, from Palermo for New York.
89 Bolivia, from Naples for New York.

SAILED FROM DOMESTIC PORTS.

88 L. Osa, from Galveston for New York.
89 H. E. Lincoln, from Galveston for New York.

The Man Who

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Southampton	Nov. 10
London	Nov. 11
Hamburg	Nov. 10
San Francisco	Nov. 10
San Jose	Nov. 9
San Diego	Nov. 9
Portland	Nov. 10
<i>Due Saturday, Nov. 23.</i>	
Liverpool	Nov. 10
Birmingham	Nov. 10
Christiansburg	Nov. 12
New Orleans	Nov. 12
<i>Due Sunday, Nov. 24</i>	
Berlin	Nov. 21
London	Nov. 21
St. Louis	Nov. 16
St. Paul	Nov. 17
<i>Due Monday, Nov. 25</i>	
Liverpool	Nov. 14
London	Nov. 15
Rotterdam	Nov. 13
Amsterdam	Nov. 13
Batavia	Nov. 21
<i>Due Tuesday, Nov. 26</i>	
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